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REPORT

OF THE

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

OF THE

TOWN OF LEBANON,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

MARCH 1, 1858.

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THE HISTORY

OF THE

UNION OF THE

OF THE

TOWN OF JERSEY

TO THE YEAR 1800

MARCH 1800

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ACCOUNTS.

The Auditors appointed at the last annual town meeting, to audit the Selectmens' account for the current year, submit the following report:

Debts of the town as per last report, \$7917,56

OLD BILLS NOT REPORTED.

Paid G. S. Towle, printing,	6,50
Z. Hamilton, highway,	1,00
E. Eldridge, "	3,00
A. Freeman, "	1,25
C. Hough, "	5,00
J. W. Gerrish, "	3,33
W. K. Eldridge, pauper rent,	6,00
Ruth Scott, "	20,00
J. W. Cleavland, pauper case,	7,50
P. H. Hinkley, posts, B. G. Fence,	2,50
C. S. Whitmore, rep. B. G. E. Lebanon,	1,10
Lorin Smith, Griffin case,	3,25
R. Lund, fees, "	18,00
J. Wood, " "	77
W. K. Eldridge, fees in Griffin case,	9,50
S. Griffin, road damage,	75,00
B. Wood, " "	10,00
J. Minot, Fees,	2,00
Wood for Mrs. Perry,	3,00
D. F. Johnson for J. Hardy,	27,48
	206,18
Loss on County paupers account,	59,10
	265,28
	8182,84

J. W. CLEAVLAND, HORACE HATCH and WM. S. ELA, in account with the Town of Lebanon, from March 1st, 1857, to March 1st, 1858, DE.

Cash as per last report,	145,98
of Town of Unity,	37,29

on County pauper account,	948,57
borrowed of Lebanon Bank,	200,00
Literary fund,	153,90
Packard cow, sold,	33,40
Circus license,	30,00
of Town of Hill,	27,25
of Town of Londonderry,	97,35
of Alvah Wilson fine.	5,00
of W. K. Eldridge, land rent,	18,00
of G. S. Kendrick on sale of spirits & wines,	19,05
of John Ela, land rent,	20,00
of J. Burgin, rent under Town House,	5,00
of J. Burgin, on H. W. tax bill, 1854,	15,60
of J. W. Cleavland for old fence,	1,40
of State R. R. tax,	658,74
for use of Town Hall,	14,00
of Silas Freeman on farm account,	60,00
Tax bill, 1857,	6372,61
	8863,14

CONTRA, CR.

Paid Old bills,	206,18
School Districts,	1743,38
Land damages,	93,27
on Highways and bridges,	263,44
Miscellaneous,	3313,41
Ordinary bills,	552,52
Extraordinary bills,	232,53
S. Freeman,	5,00
Farm account,	259,46
Support of town paupers not on farm,	360,53
Transient pauper account,	98,12
County pauper account,	701,36
Balance in Collector's hands,	135,18
	7964,38
Cash on hand,	898,76

SCHOOL MONEY, DIVISION OF, &c.

Amount due the several districts as per last report,	817,38
Town proportion,	1658,00
Literary fund,	153,90
R. R. money,	300,00
	2929,28

DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS :

Dist. No.	Scholars.	Total.	Bal. due.
1	13	108,16	79,49
2	109	395,63	370,63
3	24	200,40	138,40
4	26	130,58	23,80
5	24	127,06	8,06
6	17	86,96	
7	34	157,47	52,47
8	41	288,21	79,48
9	12	77,62	77,62
10	49	197,39	5,39
11	29	145,57	22,57
12	15	118,01	81,01
13	63	237,33	62,99
Union, 14 & 15	167	506,76	130,76
16	8	103,07	53,07
Giles,	8	26,08	
McCollister,	7	22,82	
		2929,12	1185,74
		1185,74	

Amount paid 1743,38

Town of Lebanon, to J. W. CLEAVLAND, Dr.

1857.		1857.	
Mar. 11, 1-2 day office	75	Sep. 30, 5 days office	7,50
April 1, 1 day office	1,50	Oct. 30, 3 " "	4,50
6, 4 days invoice	6,00	Nov. 2, 1-2 " "	75
16, 8 " "	12,00	7, 1-2 " "	75
May 4, 14 days office	21,00	14, 1 " "	1,50
22, 2 d's Flanders case	3,00	18, 1 day town farm	1,50
26, 1-2 day pauper case	75	Dec. 18, 1 day " "	1,50
30, 1 day W. Leb.	1,50	19, 1-2 day pauper case	75
June 1, 1-2 day Enfield	75	Jan. 18, 1 day office	1,50
6, 1 day W. Leb.	1,50	23, 5 days pauper case	7,50
8, 1-2 day E. Leb.	75	Feb. 6, 1 day office	1,50
9, 1 day on roads	1,50	13, 1 " "	1,50
Aug. 13, 1-2 day " "	75	20, 4 " "	6,00
15, 1-2 day " "	75	Mar. 1, 7 " "	10,50
22, 1-2 day Enfield	75		
31, 1 day office	1,50		
			102,00

Town of Lebanon, to HORACE HATCH,

DR.

1857.		1857.	
Mar. 11, 1-2 day office	75	Aug. 31, 1 day office	1,50
13, 1-2 day Hanover	75	Sept. 30, 5 days office	7,50
20, 1-2 day E. Leb.	75	Oct. 3, 1 day W. Leb. and	
April 1, 1 day office	1,50	Hanover	1,50
6, 4 dys pauper case	6,00	Nov. 19, 1 day office	1,50
15, 7 days invoice	10,50	27, 1 "	1,50
29, 11 "	16,50	28, 1-2 "	75
30, 1 day Dist. 8		Dec. 6, 1 "	1,50
H. W. bills,	1.50	19, 1 "	1,50
May 12, 1-2 day on roads	75	Jan. 9, 1 "	1,50
19, 3 d's Flanders case	4,50	11, 1 "	1,50
30, 1 day W. Leb.	1,50	13, 1-2 day E. Leb.	75
June 6, 1 "	1,50	30, 1-2 day office	75
8, 1 day E. Leb.	1,50	Feb. 6, 1-2 "	75
9, 1 day on roads	1,50	13, 1 "	1,50
10, 1 day Plainfield	1,50	20, 5 "	7,50
24, 1-2 day Hanover	75	28, 5 "	7,50
27, 1 dy H. & W. L.	1,50		
Aug. 19, 1-2 day W. Leb.	75		93,75
20, 1-2 day "	75		

Town of Lebanon, to WM. S. ELA,

DR.

1857.		1857.	
Mar. 11, 1-2 day office	75	Sept. 3, 1-2 day on roads	75
13, 1-2 day office	75	20, 1-2 day W. Leb.	75
20, 1-2 day E. Leb.	75	28, 5 days office	7,50
April 1, 1 day office	1,50	Oct. 19, 1 "	1,50
6, 4 days "	6,00	Nov 2, 1-2 "	75
15, 8 days "	12,00	25, 1-2 "	75
May 4, 14 days invoice	21,00	Dec. 12, 1 1-2 "	2,25
22, 3 days "	4,50	18, 1 day on farm	1,50
30, 1 day W. Leb.	1,50	19, 1-2 day office	75
June 6, 1 day "	1,50	29, 1-2 "	75
8, 1 day E. Leb.	1,50	Jan. 8, 1-2 day W. Leb.	75
9, 1 day on roads	1,50	12, 2 1-2 days office	3,75
10, 1 day on farm	1,50	28, 1 day paupers	1,50
12, 1-2 day paupers	75	29, 1 day office	1,50
27, 1-2 day office	75	Feb. 13, 2 "	3,00
July 3, 1-2 day W. Leb.	75	20, 5 "	7,50
1-2 day on roads	75	Mar. 1, 7 "	10,50
11, 1-2 day office	75		
Aug. 31, 1 day "	1,50		105,75

EXPENSES ON HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Land damages,	93,27	
for lumber, plank & work on roads & bridges	263,43	
		356.00

MISCELLANEOUS,

Paid Lebanon Bank,	200,00	
Polly Garland, interest,	18,00	
Fire Engine Co.,	79,60	
County tax,	849,87	
State tax,	580,30	
Milton Buswell, interest,	25,00	
Paul Buswell estate, note and interest,	589,89	
Insurance on buildings,	2,76	
Repairs on Town House,	3,87	
Abatements on taxes, 1857,	87,30	
G. S. Towle, fees, State v. Wilson,	3,00	
H. B. Benton, keeping transient poor,	3,25	
Witness fees, State v. Scott & Walker,	12,00	
W. K. Eldridge, fees, same,	5,50	
“ settling county tax,	3,00	
J. Hamilton, moving paupers,	3,00	
Books for destitute children,	3,39	
Fuel for Town House,	4,00	
R. S. Howe, surveying,	1,50	
Abatements on over taxes,	15,95	
freight on guns returned,	5,62	
C. A. Downs, locating school house,	10,00	
G. W. Bailey, “ “ “	5,00	
H. Hatch, cow for Packard,	40,00	
H. Seavey, labor,	1,00	
Care of Town House,	1,25	
S. Freeman, on last year services,	50,00	
Pasturing cow from Packard,	50	
Moving guns to depot,	37	
C. L. Buswell, Town Agent,	48,21	
County bills collected for 1856,	16,52	
Balance for support of B. Dewey, 1856,	17,00	
Silas Freeman, notes and interest,	435,92	
“ services to March 1st, 1858,	190,84	
		3313,41

ORDINARY EXPENSES.

Paid Hale & Ela, printing,	18,00
Teachers' Institute,	49,74
for stationery,	10,39
C. L. Buswell, care of clock and tolling bell,	15,00

Paid Dan'l Richardson, tolling bell,	2,50	
Collecting taxes, 1857,	56,14	
Superintending School Committee,	57,75	
E. J. Durant, clerk services,	10,25	
L. C. Bean, recording births,	1,25	
Office rent,	12,00	
J. W. Cleavland,	} Services	102,00
Horace Hatch,		93,75
William S. Ela,		105,75
Daniel Richardson, 4 days auditing,		6,00
Ziba Storrs, 2 1-2 days "		5,00
William G. Perley, 3 days making report,		6,00
H. T. Kenrick, clerk services,		1,00
		552,52

EXTRAORDINARY EXPENSES.

Paid J. S. Appleton, road damage,	3,00	
H. S. Nash, "	8,25	
Fencing B. G., E. Lebanon,	65,00	
Expense looking up pauper cases,	11,75	
<i>Appraisal of Real Estate in September,</i>		
J. W. Cleavland, 20 days	2,00	40,00
Horace Hatch, 20 "	2,00	40,00
W. S. Ela, 20 "	2,00	40,00
Recording same, 13 "	1,50	19,50
S. D. Stone, fees,		35
A. H. Cragin, "		3,00
G. S. Towle, "		1,50
" "		18
		232,53

Farm account with S. FREEMAN,

Dr.

Paid for labor on farm and house work,	97,50	
for sundries for Paupers,	60,41	
for clothing "	51,39	
cash to Selectmen,	60,00	
balance in Freeman's hands,	5,49	
		274,79

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Rec'd for produce, &c., sold from farm,	269,79	
cash of Selectmen,	5,00	
		274,79

SELECTMENS' account with farm,

Dr.

Paid for use of horse,	5,00	
for Puritan Recorder,	6,00	
Postage,	40	

repairs on house,	17,84
Kimball & Fale's store bill,	181,52
G. W. Worthen's "	21,22
J. H. & C. M. Hildreth, for stove,	8,90
L. C. Bean, medical attendance,	15,00
G. S. Kendrick, for medicine,	3,58

259,46

C.R.

By cash of S. Freeman,

60,00

199,46

INVENTORY OF FARM, &c.

Farm, 180 acres,		3000,00
1 horse, 100, 2 oxen, 150,	250,00	
3 cows, 105, 2 neat, 50,	155,00	
1 yearling colt, 40, 2 shoats, 38,	78	
84 sheep,	210,00	
		593,00

Produce and Provisions.

12 tons hay, 108, oats, 12,	120,00	
40 bush corn, 34, 129 bush potatoes, 54	88,00	
5 bush rye, 5, 4 bush meal, 3,40,	8,40	
220 lbs cheese, 17,60, 8 lbs butter, 1,60,	19,20	
30 lbs tallow, 3, 30 lbs candles, 3,75,	6,75	
600 lbs pork, 75, 50 lbs lard, 7,	82,00	
250 lbs ham, 31,25, 300 lbs beef, 24,	55,25	
20 gall's vinegar 3,34, 2 bbls cider, 6,	9,34	
75 lbs dried apple, 6, 2 bbls soap, 7,	13,00	
6 gall's boiled cider, 3, 1 bush salt, .50,	3,50	
household furniture,	150,00	
		555,44

Farming Tools.

1 cart, 15, lumber wagon, 8,	23,00
buggy wagon, 12, sleigh, 15,	27,00
1 sled, 4, 1 ox sled. 1,50,	5,50
wheel barrow, 3, 3 snaths, 1,	4,00
lot scythes, 1, 6 rakes .75,	1,75
3 ox yokes, 3, 6 forks, 4,	7,00
3 shovels, 1,50, 4 hoes, 1,25,	2,75
iron bar, .75, 4 chains, 3,	3,75
iron wedges, .50, harrow, 1,50,	2,00
6 axes, 2, horse rake, 6,	8,00
cultivator, 3, scalding tub, .50,	3,50

4 plows, 14, grindstone, 1,	15,00	
fanning mill, 6, grain cradle, 1,	7,00	
buffalo robe, 7, 3 1-2 M. shingle, 8, 25,	15,25	
600 feet clapboards, 9, hay knife, 1,	10,00	
4 baskets, 1, 8 bags, 2,	3,00	
lot joiners' tools,	5,00	
		143,50
		4391,94

Board of Town Paupers on Farm to March 1st, 1858.

E. Whitmore and wife, 47 2-7 weeks, 2.50,	118,22	
J. Lathe, 52 weeks, 1.25,	65,00	
Miss Wood, 52 weeks, 1.50,	78,00	
Miss McCollister, 6 weeks, .50,	3,00	
		264,22

Transient Paupers Board.

S. Stevens, 7 4-7 weeks,	16,42	
Wm. Allen, 1 3-7 weeks,	2,00	
Greely family, 9 weeks,	63,00	
Flanders family, 1 2-7 weeks,	8,00	
		89,42

Board of County Paupers on Farm.

Mrs. Welch and five children, 10 1-7 wks., 3,50,	35,50	
B. F. Prescott, 10 2-7 weeks, 1.25,	12,85	
		48,35

TOWN FARM,

Dr.

To Invoice, March 1st, 1857,	4305,08	
Interest on farm,	180,00	
Selectmens' account, balance,	199,46	
Freeman's services,	200,00	
		4884,54

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By Invoice March 1st 1858,	4391,94	
Town paupers board,	264,22	
Transient " "	89,42	
County " "	48,35	
Balance in Freeman's hands,	5,49	
		4799,42

Balance against the farm,	85,12
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J. W. CLEAVLAND, } Selectmen
 HORACE HATCH, } of
 WILLIAM S. ELA, } Lebanon.

Support of Town Paupers not on the Farm.

Paid for Maxwell Family,	46.80	
Holden Packard,	5.34	
Johnson Hardy,	20.02	
Betsey Dewey,	125.00	
Lucy Slapp,	6.00	
Moses Griffin,	16.60	
Dan Hall, at Assylum,	102.01	
Miss Wood, medical attendance,	15.25	
E. Whitmore and wife,	6.51	
		343.53

Transient Pauper Bills

Paid for Chas. Pickernail,	9.05	
Amos Buckman,	18.58	
Greely Family,	33.37	
Flanders family,	20.20	
M. McCollister,	6.42	
Transient persons,	75	
S. Stevens,	9.75	
		98.12

County Paupers not in Farm Account.

Paid for B. F. Prescott,	28.75	
Mrs. Kelley and children,	104.51	
L. McCollister,	52.00	
Mrs. Dillon and family,	40.62	
Chas. Gay and Family,	17.55	
Mrs. Welch and children,	52.63	
Oliver Saunders,	31.80	
Simon Peter,	82.83	
Joseph Lawrence and family,	26.22	
F. N. Flanders,	65.00	
John Hennessey,	75.97	
William Hopkinson,	152.52	
Mrs. M. Welch,	10.21	
Mrs. A. Perry,	10.75	
		701.36

DEBTS OF THE TOWN, MARCH 1, 1858.

Bank of Lebanon, note,	5821.24
Mrs. Childs, April 5, 1857, note,	463.53
Interest,	25.03
Milton Buswell, note,	500.00
Interest,	7.50
Polly Garland, note,	300.00
Interest,	12.00

Luther Kinne, note,	150.00
Interest,	18.74
U. L. Fellows, note,	550.00
Interest,	31.00
Due the several School Districts,	1185.74
	9064.78

ASSETTS.

Balance due from S. Freeman	5.49
McCollister Bill put over	46.00
County Pauper bills paid	701.36
Board at farm	48.35
Due from town of Unity	18.58
“ “ Warner	20.20
Cash in town agents hands	290.98
Balance in Collector's hands	135.18
Cash on hand	898.76
	2164.90

Debts of the town balance 6899.88

The foregoing represents the receipts and disbursements of the financial affairs of the town of Lebanon, for the past year, to this date, according to the books, which are well vouched and correctly cast. And, although the bills of the Selectmen for personal services are somewhat large; yet, when it is taken into the account, that by means of Railroads and other facilities, paupers are flooded in upon us, which require much care and labor. We are satisfied that the Selectmen get but small remuneration for mental labor.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DANIEL RICHARDSON, }
ZIBA STORRS, } AUDITORS.

Lebanon, March 2, 1858.

GEORGE S. KENDRICK, as Town Agent,	Dr.
To merchandize of C. L. Buswell,	290.98
“ bought from April 9th, 1857, to	
February 1st, 1858,	921.21
Waste,	39.15
Services as agent,	81.86
Balance in favor of town,	19.05
	1352.25
By mdze sold,	Cr 1056.05
“ on hand,	296.20
	1352.25

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